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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING A REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

This paper is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination and is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on December 20, 2007.¹ A petition for a one-month extension of time along with the requisite fee is submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks follow the Listing of Claims at page 6.

¹ Applicants note that April 20, 2008, fell on a Sunday.